

Thursday was the last day for the introduction of private legislation and there was a raft of matters presented as will be seen by our Augusta correspondence this morning.

Germany has declared war upon Samoa but Secretary Bayard calmly asserts that all American rights will be protected. This will not be the case until there is a change in the State Department. Bayard is a dismal failure.

The Senate showed a progressive and enlightened spirit Tuesday in adopting Senator Sherman's resolution to debate the Simonin matter in open session. There has been enough dark cloud treatment of a public discussion of Simonin and his international relations will be of value both here and abroad.

In Arkansas a Republican candidate for Congress has been assassinated in cold blood while engaged in working up evidence with which to contest election of Congressman Breckinridge. This is a sample of that Bourbon intolerance which has proved the curse of the South where there are also efforts for extending the rights of citizenship.

When the reports of the committee upon the matter of changing the date of our State election came up in the Senate, the motion to publish the majority report of the majority report received just two votes, those being the votes of the Senators making the minority report. The same matter will come up in the next Legislature only to meet a similar fate.

It is instructive to observe, says the Boston Journal, that Mr. Havemeyer, the head of the Sugar Trust, at whose suggestion the sugar schedule of the Mills bill was modified to the advantage of the Trust, gave \$20,000 to the Democratic campaign fund. Yet this instructive fact seems wholly to have escaped the notice of those Mugwump papers which have been expressing virtuous indignation over Republican contributions and expenditures.

Mr. Wain has felt sure from the first that President Harrison would cordially favor Mr. Blaine in the fight for the Maine office and we have today no more doubt that Mr. Blaine will be the next Secretary of State than that the electoral vote of Maine will be cast for Mr. Harrison and Mr. Morton. There never has been the slightest reason to suppose that Mr. Harrison would ignore the friendship of a lifetime and turn his back upon the statesman whom he has always held in the highest esteem. With Mr. Blaine, representing the Maine State of today, in the State Department and Mr. Morton, representing the Maine State of tomorrow, what with the poor Mugwump and professional Blaine done?

The ballot reform discussion in Maine is bringing out a good deal of truth in the editorial papers concerning a election method in that State. New York Evening Post.

"These papers that are trying to impeach Maine's popular verdict by the absurd charge of corruption at the polls are the hearty sympathizers of the Maine Mugwump. Our Maine contemporaries on having won the approval of this 'highly educated' organ that has done more political lying about Republicans and Republicans than any other paper in the country. We suggest that they quote a few extracts from this political notebook in support of a secret ballot for Maine as his opinion is held in high regard in this State."

"THE BANGOR WHIG OPPOSES" bullet return, but because it cannot find a sensible excuse for doing so is no reason why it should get in a rage and attempt to excite as Old Town was done over the Journal's devoted help. Its antics suggest the possibility that what Bangor needs more than ballot reform, even in a better enforcement of the prohibitory law. Bangor Journal.

The Journal's idea of a "sensible" advocacy of the secret ballot bill is to charge that the same brand of political infidelity which is practiced in the South exists in Maine and that those who favor the bill are the abettors of such an infidelity. It is claimed. We do not propose to bandy epithets with the Journal, but when the Legislature takes action on this bill we shall be interested to note the weight of the influence of its style of argument. Possibly after this bill has been voted down it will feel called upon to denounce the Legislature as a body of corrupt politicians.

John E. Sullivan, County Clerk of Marion County, Indiana, and a business man who operated extensively, has had an assignment. His liabilities will be between \$100,000 and \$150,000, and the assets about \$100,000. For several years he has been one of the leading shippers of poultry, eggs and butter to the Eastern market, his business reaching over \$1,000,000. He spent \$30,000 in getting himself elected Clerk of Marion County on the Democratic ticket and he afterward spent from \$15,000 to \$20,000 in the election of himself and eleven others who were indicted by the United States Grand Jury for the election conspiracy in 1886. The indictment still hangs over him. Sullivan's political expenses, it is believed, have caused his failure. He is indebted to the county, it is admitted, \$21,000, but it is believed that on investigation it will be found that the sum is much larger, he held in his custody trust funds reaching at different times to more than \$100,000.

The Brooklyn Eagle, a Democratic organ, makes the following sensible statement that should be carefully digested by its Mugwump contemporaries: "There is ample precedent for a President's calling to his council men conspicuous and influential in his party who perhaps were rivals for the nomination which he secured. There is no impropriety in this. On the contrary there is a clear propriety. After all has been said, which can be reasonably urged against the partisan spirit ours is a government by parties."

When Gen. Harrison, elected in 1888, Mr. Bayard, Secretary of State, the announcement will be accompanied by a large majority of those who voted for the President. It is likely and probable to say that he ought to disregard the preferences of those persons a small number of persons who did not vote for Harrison, but did all they could to defeat him, who would have supported him in any way if possible. There has been no precedent, that the appointment should not be made."

The appointment of a special committee to investigate the feasibility of moving the State Capitol from Portland to Bangor is a subject which will be taken up at this session of the Legislature. This may be the case, but when it comes to voting on a bill which would move the State House from Portland to Bangor, it is the opinion of a good many members, that the Legislature will hesitate some time before taking the final vote. However, in view of the fact that such a committee has been appointed and that Portland is doing everything in its power to secure the Capitol it will be well perhaps for Bangor to see that her claims are fully presented. When the time comes for a vote of the Legislature it should be toward the center of the State and not away from it.

Special Notices.

Cornel For Sale.
A silver-lined iron barrel made by Duff & Co. Portland, Me. Can be bought for less than half its original cost. A. H. HURDSON, Portland, Me.

Branch No. 928, IRON HALL.
Meeting this FRIDAY EVENING, at ROYAL ARCADE HALL.

EASTERN RIFLE CLUB.
The Third Contest for the GOLD BRIDGE OF THE EASTERN RIFLE CLUB will take place at the MAPLEWOOD RANGE.

Thursday, February 1st.
At 10 o'clock A. M.
Entire sale will be made by Frank B. McGowan, 100 State Street, Bangor, Me.

ACCOUNTS AND CLAIMS.
The Committee on Accounts and Claims will be in session at the State House on Friday, Feb. 2nd, at 10 o'clock A. M. for the purpose of auditing the accounts of the State Treasurer and the State Auditor for the year 1888.

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100 State Street, Bangor, Me.

Toile du Nord.
A desirable fabric for ladies and children's wear.

Chalon Cloths and Ginghams.
These desirable wash goods are very popular, great variety of patterns and colors.

Australian, Housewife, Gilt and California Blankets.
I want to call attention to the fact that these blankets are of the highest quality and are very popular.

Two Cases White Linen and Turkey Red Damasks.
All the above goods are found in greater variety and at lower prices than elsewhere.

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Penobscot Farmers' Mut.
There will be a meeting of the Penobscot Farmers' Mutual Association on Friday, Feb. 2nd, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Connecticut Mutual Life Insurance Co.
NATHANIEL O. BROWN, President.

H. M. FAIRBANKS, General Agent.
BANGOR, ME.

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Blake, Barrows & Brown, General Agents.

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Three Failing, Clark and Anna Bennett.
Having signed the petition of Mr. B. B. Bennett for the removal of the case from the jurisdiction of the court, the undersigned do hereby certify that the said case has been removed to the jurisdiction of the court of the State of Maine.

DIED.
In this city, Jan. 31st, at his residence on Essex Street, William Clark, aged 74 years.

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A New and Splendid Assortment of LADIES' COTTON UNDERWEAR. All nice, new goods, and very cheap. KID GLOVES.

We are selling lots of Kid Gloves at reduced prices. We have a full line of new shades at 50, 65, 75, and 85 cents, and \$1.00 per pair. Splendid goods for \$1.25 per pair.

Cashmere Gloves, 15, 25, and 35 cents, reduced prices.

A Fine Line of Torchon and Other Laces, Just Received.

CORSETS! CORSETS! From 25 cents up to \$1.00 per pair, good values. STORE OPEN ON ALL PLEASANT EVENINGS, UNTIL 8.30.

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Spurhead Patent Fire-Proof Roofing.

EVERY NIGHT I SCRATCHED.

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Extra Large Sizes in All Grades. Warranted Hand-Made. AT WHOLESALE AND RETAIL. I HAVE A VERY LARGE STOCK.

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A Full Line Gent's Fur Coats.

I Have Just Received a New Lot of FINE ALASKA SEAL SACQUES FOR MY HOLIDAY TRADE. IN ALL SIZES. A Perfect Fit and Quality Guaranteed.

They Make A Fine and Useful Present.

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IN ORDER TO CLOSE OUT OUR CHINA SILKS, before stock-taking, we shall today offer the best quality at \$1.00 per yard - former price \$1.25 and the \$1.00 grades at 75 cents. They are all different patterns, many of them having arrived too late for the holiday trade.

A. H. ROBERTS & SONS.

BEST ROOF Metal Shingles.

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The New Clothing Store Must be at the Head!

Our Latest Arrivals are a Complete New Line of Fancy Calico, Cheviot and French Percale.

DRESS SHIRTS.

Remember, this is no old odds and ends of last season's Goods, but the Newest and Latest Styles out. Call and see them.

The Prices are 50, 75, \$1.00 and \$1.25.

Messrs. Hugh T. Gallagher and Edward Poole will be pleased to welcome all their friends to the new Store.

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GREATEST SLAUGHTER OF FINE OVERCOATS.

ON RECORD.

Men's full length Blue Cheviot Overcoat, quilted, satin faced, with sleeve flaps, regular price \$16.50, reduced to \$11.00.

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Whig and Courier.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 1889.

BY TELEGRAPH.

MAINE NEWS.

FROM THE STATE CAPITOL.

A Big Batch of Bills on the Day of Introduction.

The Bangor and Brewer Inquiry.

Bills to Incorporate the Bangor and Brewer Railway.

Other Matters of Greater or Lesser Interest.

Augusta, Jan. 31.

The introduction of legislation and every session of the Legislature has been marked by the introduction of a large number of bills.

First among the bills introduced today was a bill to amend the law relating to the election of judges.

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OBITUARY.
Charles M. Severance, M. D., only son of Charles A. and Lydia Severance, died after long illness at his home to East 90th street, Wednesday morning at the age of thirty-five months. He was a graduate of the E. M. O. Seminary, Buckport, Me., and of St. Albans of the University at Burlington, Vt., taking the degree of M. D. He was about to commence the practice of medicine when taken ill, and for more than a year was confined to his bed. His years were spent, in preparing himself for the useful life which he hoped, but his hope the disappointment, to end in pain with the greatest fortitude and bravely by his calmness and patience that there was in God "who doeth all things well." His classmates and friends extend deepest sympathy to the sorrowing parents and relatives.

His Own Friends and Other Folks.
Col. J. N. Greene is in the city at the Cabot Exchange.

Bro. William Engel went to Augusta on afternoon train yesterday.

Superintendent O. A. Dequen, of the West Keno House, was in the city yesterday.

Bro. George Croswell Crosey, pastor of the Unitarian church, will exchange pulpits next Sunday with Rev. Thomas Hill, D. of Portland.

His despatch was received yesterday by Dr. F. Clark Esq., saying that his son, Mr. F. Lewis Clark, was sick with typhoid fever and requesting him to come on. Mr. Clark has leave of absence granted him by the Legislature and leaves this morning.

CHURCH PARTY. The parish party of John's Episcopal Society last evening was a very enjoyable affair, as most evenings of like nature arranged by the members of this parish, and there was a very good attendance. Refreshments were served at 6 o'clock and after they had been sufficiently enjoyed the company present commenced singing a hymn written by one of the members of the parish, of congratulation at the departure of the pastor to rest in this city and foregoing him a farewell to the future. Dr. W. J. Peterson then gave an most interesting talk on the subject, illustrated by a number of photographs of scenes in this field. The remainder of the evening was spent socially, and all upon taking their departure felt they had had a most enjoyable time. The committee who arranged the party were Mrs. A. C. Hamilton, Mrs. S. L. Wing and Miss Nettie Wiggin.

Misses Ames and Miss Thompson, teachers of the Union Street Grammar School, will give classes, colored, a sleigh ride Wednesday afternoon. The weather and lighting were delightful.

New Advertisements.
 White will sell on Saturday, only
 La Normandie cigars for 25 cents and

each day it is 10 cents a pound.
 Jacked hams, 50 per cent. pure cream
 butter and Algierette's incomparable soups,
 Thompson's & Kellogg's.
 J. M. Payson & Co., Portland, offer to
 sell \$141,000 Colorado Water Supply Com-
 pany's first mortgage bonds, paying seven
 per cent. interest.
 Meeting of Branch No. 928, order of
 business in Hall, this evening.
 J. M. Payson offers a silver-plated
 chestnut cabinet for sale.

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SEVEN PER CENT. BONDS,
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Doesn't Cost any More to Get a
First-Class Shave or Hair Cut
at a first class place, filled up with everything
and first, who has a good reason for it? I have
whereas, had not for the sake of the last sentence
I have, then I do not get one of the ordinary
cheap style which you can find anywhere. It
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CALIFORNIA
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HEAVY SYRUP
25 Cents a Can,
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C. NORTON & CO.'S
 in Derveer & Holmes
 CELEBRATED
 Water Thin Wafers
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 Swego Biscuit,
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